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SUBJ: MINTING OF COINS FOR HONDURAS

REF: TEGUCIGALPA 4508

1. EMBASSY POUCHING LETTER RECEIVED TODAY FROM CENTRAL BANK RE MINTING OF 50 CENTAVO COINS. LETTER STATES THAT CENTRAL BANK'S UNDERSTANDING WAS THAT AGREED UPON PRICE WAS \$83,655.23 PLUS \$1,670.00 FOR CHANGES IN COIN DESIGN, AND THAT ANY CHANGE IN COPPER PRICE WOULD NOT HAVE BEARING AS INSTRUCTIONS WERE GIVEN TO BUY THE NECESSARY COPPER AT THE PRICE IN EFFECT WHEN THE U.S. MINT WON THE BID SEVERAL MONTHS AGO.

2. LETTER CONCLUDES BY STATING THAT THE MINTING IS AUTHORIZED ACCORDING TO THE TEST PIECES SUBMITTED AS LONG AS THE PRICE IS THAT MENTIONED ABOVE. IF THIS IS NOT POSSIBLE, THE CENTRAL BANK WOULD LIKE TO BE INFORMED ASAP SO THAT IT MAY CONSIDER LESS COSTLY ALTERNATIVES.
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